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WORK EXPERIENCE

Future State University

Creative Director & Level Designer

San Francisco, CA

June 2024-Present

- Direct game design efforts of fantasy MMO game for a team of over 30 people, and maintain game design document (GDD)
- Design and iterate on 4 education-centered games and 8 levels to meet evolving gameplay and strategic goals
- Lead coordination of design, art, development, production, and leadership teams to ensure a unified game vision

Humaginarium

Game Designer

Remote

August 2020-May 2024

- Developed engaging educational games with a team of 10 people for desktop and mobile platforms
- Proposed game systems conveying biomedical concepts to players within a game environment and refined GDD

University of Florida – College of Education

Computer Science Curriculum Designer

Gainesville, FL

April 2022-May 2024

- Taught game-based education methods to preservice teachers apprenticing across 3 different grade levels
- Created and presented online micro-credential courses which introduced computer science (CS) to over 125 teachers

The Out-of-Door Academy

Game Design Teacher / Interim Director of Computer Science & Instructional Technology

Lakewood Ranch, FL

July 2019-July 2021

- Created and taught 6 Virtual Reality Video Game Design and Development courses teaching Unreal Engine (31 students)
- Presented quarterly to board of directors and parents' association to increase STEAM enrollment and funding

Enrichment Resource Group

Product Manager and Designer

Sarasota, FL

April 2020-July 2021

- Researched/presented video game and product ideas monthly to team of 5 programmers, artists, and product specialists
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EDUCATION

University of Florida

Masters, Digital Arts and Sciences (Virtual Reality Video Game Design)

Gainesville, FL

May 2024

Emory University

Bachelor of Science, Biology

Atlanta, GA

May 2019

GAMES

"Future State University", Creative Director and Level Designer (team of 32)

June 2024-Present

- MMO desktop/mobile game which uses AI to assess and teach high school and adult learners through gameplay
- Received a Dev/Mission partnership; Deployed in the Oakland Unified School District (California)

"Outpost Horizon", Project Lead and Game Designer (team of 5)

November 2023-May 2024

- Multiplayer VR and mobile game in which the two players must work together to repair a mysterious oil rig
- Outstanding Achievement in Augmented & Virtual Reality Award – Convergence 2024 Game Showcase

"SummVR Camp", Project Lead and Creative Director (team of 10)

August 2023-December 2023

- Multiplayer VR summer camp simulation which lets players rock climb, DJ, and practice archery with others

"Sharktographer", Project Manager and Lead Game Designer (team of 5)

July 2023-December 2023

- VR undersea educational game similar to Pokemon Snap made for The Florida Museum of Natural History

"Third Born", Project Lead, Systems Designer, and Narrative Designer (team of 3)

March 2021-April 2023

- Visual novel with branching path storyline about politics in the Middle Ages

"Elemental Assassin", Solo Developer

February 2020-November 2021

- Single player VR action combat game in which players control rocks and boulders to fight enemies and solve puzzles
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Development Environments: Unreal Engine (UE4 & UE5), Unity, Twine, and Android Studio

Programming Proficiencies: UE4 and UE5's Blueprint system, C#, C++, Java, Python

Other Proficiencies: Jira, Git, Asana, Monday.com, Maya, Blender, Adobe Photoshop/Illustrator, Figma, Slack

Interests: D&D (Dungeon Master), Reading, Writing, Psychology, Baking, Leather Working, Classical Guitar, Ancient History